IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Hans GREGERSEN et al.

Title: APPARATUS FOR DETECTING AXIAL FORCE

IN THE DIGESTIVE SYSTEM

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AMENDMENT AND REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

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Sir:

This communication is responsive to the non-final Office Action dated February 2, 2010, concerning the captioned application.

Applicant provides with this amendment a Petition for Extension of Time, rendering this response timely.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this document.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this document.

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